DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—The standing crops of ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, avare, togari, and kulthi are reported to be in good condition. No damage is done to crops. Harvesting of ragi crops is going on in the Bangalore City, Taluk and Hoskote Taluk.

10. Good. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks; avare and togari in Bowringpet, Bagepalli and Mulbagal Taluks; groundnuts in Goribidnur and Bowringpet Taluks; and horsegram in Mulbagal Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Hurali and huchellu are being sown in some parts of Bowringpet Taluk and paddy in some parts of Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and same are being harvested in Bowringpet, Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks; ragi and groundnuts in Kolar, Goribidnur and Chikballapur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District, except for the prevalence of Chappe roga in Mulbagal Town.

Fodder, pasture and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Tiptur, Pavagada, Kunigal and Kortagere Taluks; Jola and coriander in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ground-nuts in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi and Kortagere Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; ragi in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Pavagada, Kunigal and Kortagere Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 6 to 16 annas; navane in parts of Sira, Pavagada and Kortagere Taluks, yield 10 to 12 annas; save and sajje in parts of Pavagada Taluk; yield 8 to 10 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Kortagere Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, jola, horsegram, sugar-cane, paddy, ground-nuts, castor, hutchellu, navane, save and sajje are reported to be in good condition.

10, *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, horsegram, avare, mulberry, thogari, halasande, castor, greengram, Bengalgram, til, ground-nut, coriander, cotton, jola, tobacco and blackgram are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.— Nil.

Crops harvested.—Harvesting of ragi is commenced in Nanjangud, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and T.-Narasipur Taluks; chillies in Heggaddevankote Taluk; paddy in Yedatore Taluk; sugar-cane in Krishnarajpete Taluk and same in Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rainfall is sufficient. There is enough food stock.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Chappe roga at Byadarahalli in Yedatore Taluk and at Karimuddanahalli, Benkipura and Gohalli in Hunsur Taluk. Halagoor village in Malavalli Taluk was declared infected with Rinderpest and it is now reported that it is subsiding.

9. *Standing crops.*— Paddy and sugar-cane in Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy, avare, burli, and togari in Hassan Taluk; ragi in Hassan, Belur, Channarayapatna Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and sugar-cane in Hassan; sugar-cane in Channarayapatna; paddy in Belur and Doddaragi in Belur and Arsikere Taluks and cardamom in Manjarabad Taluk is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair except for Plague in Hole-Narsipur Taluk. Food stuffs are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of the standing crops.—Sugar-cane, ragi and jola are reported to be fairly good in all the taluks; paddy is reported to be good in all taluks except in some parts of Shimoga Taluk where paddy crop not irrigated by the channel has seriously suffered; cotton in Channagiri Taluk and areca crop in Tirthahalli and horsegram in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are reported to be good.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and paddy in Shimoga and in Shikarpur Taluks; ragi, jola and paddy in Channagiri Taluk, groundnuts and ragi in Honnali Taluk; paddy in Sorab and Kumsi Taluks; paddy and areca in Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being harvested.

Crops sown.—Bengalgram and Yennagarjola are being sown in Honnali Taluk.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good in all the taluks. Food grains are available in all the taluks and their prices are stationary. Cooli classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Kumsi where Rinderpest is reported to have prevailed. Veterinary Inspector is addressed to make arrangements in order to arrest the spread of the disease. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

3. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare, Bengalgram, horsegram, garlic, onions, potato, ragi, cholam, navane, save, thogari, chillies, coffee, castor, arecanut and cardamom, are reported to be in good condition.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Arecanut and cardamom in Chikmagalur Taluk; ragi, cholam, navane and save in Kadur Taluk; paddy, ragi and cholam in Tarikere Taluk, arecanut and cardamom in Koppa Taluk; paddy and arecanut in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; arecanut in Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks and the sub-taluks of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing and harvesting operations are reported to be going on in the taluks of Challakere, Holalkere and Harihar and harvesting operations in all the remaining taluks.

State of standing crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested with their out-turn.—Chitaldrug—Navane, jola and ragi (12 annas); Challakere—Paddy, doddaragi sajje, save, navane, greengram and halusandi (4 to 8 annas); Hiriyur—Doddaragi; Holalkere—Navane, ragi and paddy (8 to 12 annas); Davangere—Ragi, jola, paddy and navane (8 annas); Molakalmuru—Ragi, jola, sajje and navane (8 to 12 annas); Jagalur—Ragi, jola, sajje, navane and paddy (8 to 12 annas); Hosdurga—Jola; Harihar—Groundnut.

Seeds sown.—Challakere—Paddy; Holalkere—Kadle; Harihar—Bilijola.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Black-quarter in Nallikatte village of Chitaldrug Taluk, Chapperoga in Hayakal village of Chitaldrug Taluk and Hoskote, Hulitotla and Kurubarahalli village of Hiriyur Taluk; "Rinderpest" in Yalavatti and Rajanahalli villages of Harihar Sub-Taluk and "Guddada Roga" in Karihalli and Mustigarahalli villages of Jagalur Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors concerned are attending to check the disease.

Water and fodder are available.